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Memorandum

To:

Jim Peters, Assistant U.S. Attorney

From:

Tom Dyer, Snake River Resource Area Manager

Subject:

Unauthorized Use Situation on Little Birch Creek Road, Oakley,

Idaho

I believe that Ken Sebby, Solicitor for the Department of Interior, spoke with you last Friday concerning a miner (Mr. Tom Miller) who has upgraded a previously existing road across public lands in both Idaho and Utah to access a patented mine which he operates in Utah. This work was performed with no prior notification to our office and constitutes a right-of-way trespass. Because Mr. Miller has a history with our office of continuously disregarding federal regulations concerning prior notification of surface disturbing activities, we would like to pursue this matter as a criminal trespass.

We would like to request that you review this case to get your thoughts on the matter. I have enclosed a report by our Law Enforcement Ranger, Jim Hart, as well as a case history of our dealings with Mr. Miller. Thank you for your help. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (208) 677-6675, or Jim Hart at (208) 677-6638.

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